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In Re the Application of:

LAYNE BRITTON

Application No.: 09/412,993

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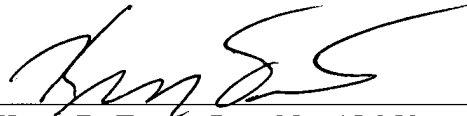
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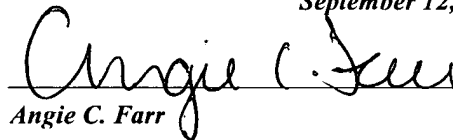
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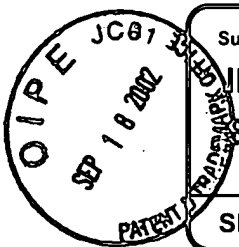
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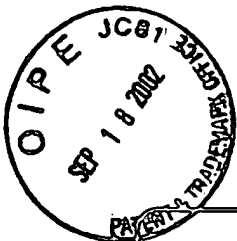
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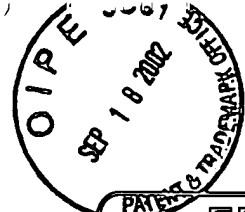
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